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FOUR NEWLY IDENTIFIED SA-2 SITES ARE LOCATED NEAR EL MANSURA, EGYPT. THE FOUR SITES (TWO WITH CO-LOCATED ALTERNATE SITES) ARE IN VARIOUS STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION AND HAVE LINEAR/T-SHAPED GUIDANCE AREAS SIMILAR IN CONFIGURATION TO EXCAVATIONS RECENTLY OBSERVED IN THE SUEZ CANAL, CAIRO AND ASWAN DAM AREAS.

SITE LOCATIONS AND FACILITY DESCRIPTIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

1. ONE SITE IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 10 NM WEST OF EL MANSURA AT 31-01-35N 031-11-40E. IT CONSISTS OF SIX DRIVE-THROUGH REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS, A HARDENED AND PARTIALLY MOUNDED LINEAR/T-SHAPED GUIDANCE AREA, FIVE MISSILE-HOLD REVETMENTS AND AN ACQUISITION RADAR POSITION WITH TWO EQUIPMENT SHELTERS. AN UNIDENTIFIED REVETTED AND L-SHAPED STRUCTURE IS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE SITE. NUMEROUS VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT ARE OBSERVED THROUGHOUT THE SITE AREA. THE LAUNCH POSITIONS AND GUIDANCE AREA ARE UNOCCUPIED AND ARE IN THE LATE STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. THE ACQUISITION RADAR POSITION IS POSSIBLY OCCUPIED.

IMMEDIATELY NORTH AND ADJACENT TO THE LAUNCH SITE IS AN ALTERNATE SA-2 SITE CONTAINING SIX DRIVE-THROUGH, REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH SIX WALLED VEHICLE POSITIONS. FIVE LAUNCH POSITIONS EACH CONTAIN A POSSIBLE SA-2 MISSILE; ONE POSITION IS OCCUPIED BY AN UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT. NO RADAR OR VEHICLES ARE DISCERNIBLE IN THE GUIDANCE AREA.

2. ANOTHER SITE IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 7 NM SW OF EL MANSURA AT 30-56-40N 031-19-00E. IT CONSISTS OF FIVE DRIVE-THROUGH REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS, A HARDENED AND PARTIALLY MOUNDED LINEAR/T-SHAPED GUIDANCE AREA, TWO MISSILE-HOLD REVETMENTS AND AN ACQUISITION RADAR POSITION WITH TWO EQUIPMENT SHELTERS. AN UNIDENTIFIED REVETTED AND L-SHAPED STRUCTURE IS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE SITE. THE SITE IS UNOCCUPIED AND IS IN THE MID-STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION.

3. THE THIRD SITE IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 8 NM SE OF EL MANSURA AT 30-57-00N 031-29-00E. IT CONSISTS OF SIX DRIVE-THROUGH REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS, A PROBABLY HARDENED AND MOUNDED LINEAR/T-SHAPED GUIDANCE AREA, FOUR MISSILE-HOLD REVETMENTS AND AN ACQUISITION RADAR POSITION WITH TWO EQUIPMENT SHELTERS. AN UNIDENTIFIED REVETTED AND L-SHAPED STRUCTURE IS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE SITE. THE SITE IS UNOCCUPIED AND IS IN THE EARLY TO MID-STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION. A PROBABLE SIX POSITION AAA SITE IS LOCATED IMMEDIATELY WEST OF THE SITE.

IMMEDIATELY SE OF THE SA-2 SITE IS AN ALTERNATE SA-2 SITE CONTAINING AT LEAST THREE DRIVE-THROUGH LAUNCH REVETMENTS AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH SIX WALLED VEHICLE POSITIONS. A PROBABLE MISSILE IS OBSERVED IN EACH OF THE DISCERNIBLE LAUNCH POSITIONS. FIVE PROBABLE VANS OCCUPY FIVE OF THE SIX VEHICLE POSITIONS IN THE GUIDANCE AREA.

4. THE FOURTH SITE IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 4 NM NE OF EL MANSURA AT 31-04-50N 031-27-30E. IT CONSISTS OF FIVE DRIVE-THROUGH REVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS, A HARDENED AND MOUNDED LINEAR/T-SHAPED GUIDANCE AREA, TWO PROBABLE MISSILE-HOLD REVETMENTS AND AN ACQUISITION RADAR

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POSITION WITH TWO EQUIPMENT SHELTERS. AN UNIDENTIFIED L-SHAPED
STRUCTURE IS LOCATED ADJACENT TO THE SITE. THE SITE IS IN THE MID-
STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION AND IS UNOCCUPIED.

THESE INSTALLATIONS WERE NOT PRESENT ON PHOTOGRAPHY OF
[REDACTED] AND ARE IN ADDITION TO THOSE
REPORTED IN NPIC PIR-024/70, SAM ACTIVITY EGYPT, APR 70 [REDACTED]

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MAP REFERENCES:

ITEMS 1&4, JOG-R 1:250,000 SHEET NH 36-1
ITEMS 2&3, JOG-R 1:250,000 SHEET NH 36-5

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